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For: CANTILEVER DAMPENED DRIVE ASSEMBLY FOR WINDOWLIFT MOTORS

This application includes:

pages: specification, claims, abstract, and title page

sheets of drawings, formal/X informal containing Figures 1-6

photographs (design patent application only)

This application claims the benefit under 35 U.S.C.§ 119(e) of the priority date of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/493,256, entitled "Cantilever Dampened Drive For Windowlift Motors", filed on August 7, 2003.

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